



General Assembly

***Substitute Bill No. 5505***

*February Session, 2004*

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***AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONTRACTING OUT OF SERVICES IN WATERBURY.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1       Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2004*) (a) As used in this section:
- 2       (1) "Agency" means an office, department, division, board,  
3       commission or other office or officer of the city of Waterbury; and
- 4       (2) "Privatization contract" means an agreement or combination or  
5       series of agreements between an agency and a nongovernmental  
6       person or entity, in which such person or entity agrees to provide  
7       services valued at five hundred thousand dollars or more that are  
8       substantially similar to and in lieu of services provided, in whole or in  
9       part, by regular employees of an agency. The term "privatization  
10      contract" does not include an agreement to provide legal services or  
11      management consulting only.
- 12      (b) The Waterbury Financial Planning and Assistance Board shall  
13      not approve any privatization contract under section 11 of special act  
14      01-1 unless the agency proposing the contract has (1) prepared an  
15      analysis of the costs and benefits to such agency of (A) privatizing the  
16      services under the contract, and (B) continuing to provide such  
17      services through regular employees of the agency, (2) conducted a  
18      public hearing on said analysis, and (3) provided employees of the

19 agency an opportunity and the resources to submit a bid to provide  
20 such services.

This act shall take effect as follows:
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**GAE**      *Joint Favorable Subst.*